IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

SUWALA ET AL.

Examiner: ALIA, Curtis A

Group Art Unit: 2474

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Framework

COMMENTS ON NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY

Mail Stop ISSUE FEE Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Supplemental Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed February 1, 2011, there is a typographical error in the list of allowed claims on Page 2. The correct list of allowed claims is: 1-11, 13-18, 20-22, 24 and 25, as stated in line 2 of the Supplemental Notice of Allowability Cover Sheet. The list of claims allowed on page 2, paragraph labeled 1 is incorrect as it includes cancelled claim 23.

Applicants believe no fee is due in connection with these comments, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee associated with this paper to Deposit

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Date: March 29, 2011 By_

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